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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

This is in response to the Office action mailed August 11, 2003 setting a three month shortened statutory period for response which expires on November 11, 2003.

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